

# Alameda County Sheriff's Office

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## Gregory J. Ahern, Sheriff

Director of Emergency Services  
Coroner - Marshal

August 26, 2019

Samuel Sinyangwe  
MuckRock News  
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Dear Samuel Sinyangwe

Pursuant to California Government Code Section 6253(c), I write in response to the public records request, received by the Alameda County Sheriff's Office on June 5, 2019. Our office received your \$1.00 remittance on August 26, 2019.

Enclosed is one compact disc containing responsive documents in regards to your request.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized 'E' followed by a large, circular flourish.

Emmanuel E. Christy, Captain  
Internal Affairs/Civil Litigation

EEC:crw

June 5, 2019

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the California Public Records Act, I hereby request the following records:

1. The total number of sheriff's deputy use of force incidents, broken down by type of force used, between 2013-2018 (separated by year).
2. The total number of people that deputies used force against, between 2013-2018 (separated by year).
3. The total number of use of force complaints reported between 2013-2018 (separated by year).
4. The total number of use of force complaints sustained between 2013-2018 (separated by year).
5. The policy manual of the sheriff's department.
6. The current union contract between the city and any sheriff's deputy/police officer unions.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 10 calendar days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Samuel Sinyangwe

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